



CITY OF LODI

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

AGENDA TITLE: Adopt Resolution Awarding Contract for Stockton Street Reconstruction, Lodi Avenue to Lockeford Street, to George Reed, Inc., of Modesto (\$1,238,230); and Appropriate Funds for the Project

MEETING DATE: June 6, 2001

PREPARED BY: Public Works Director

RECOMMENDED ACTION: That the City Council adopt a resolution awarding the contract for the above project to George Reed Incorporated, of Modesto, in the amount of \$1,238,229; and appropriate funds in accordance with the recommendation shown below.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: This project consists of reconstructing Stockton Street from Lodi Avenue to Lockeford Street. The reconstruction includes removing and replacing asphalt concrete payment; repairing damaged curb, gutter, and sidewalks; installing new street lights; installing new water mains; replacing old wastewater pipes; upgrading storm drain facilities; and other miscellaneous and related work, all as shown on the plans and specifications for "Stockton Street Reconstruction, Lodi Avenue to Lockeford Street." The plans are on file in the Public Works Department.

The City received two bids for this project and the lowest bid is approximately 25% higher than the engineer's estimate. One reason for the higher project cost is the higher-than-expected asphalt concrete price. The higher asphalt concrete price is due to the current high energy costs and oil prices in California. Additionally, contractors are very busy on other projects as evidenced by the low number of bids received. With that exception, staff feels that the bids are still reasonable and competitive and recommends the Council award the contract to George Reed, Inc.

Plans and specifications for this project were approved on April 4, 2001. The City received the following two bids for this project:

Bidder	Location	Bid
Engineer's Estimate		\$ 988,075
George Reed, Inc.	Modesto	\$1,238,229
Granite Construction Company	Stockton	\$1,546,958

FUNDING: Requested Appropriation:	Measure K (Flexible Congestion Relief)	\$ 600,000
	Measure K (Maintenance)	\$ 176,883
	STIP	\$ 257,000
	Water Capital Outlay Fund	\$ 166,338
	Wastewater Capital Outlay Fund	\$ 220,854
	Electric Utility Fund	\$ 64,800

Project Estimate: \$1,485,875

Bid Opening Date: May 23, 2001

Anticipated Completion Date: November 2001

Funding Available:

Ruby R. Paine for
Finance Director

Richard C. Prima, Jr.
Public Works Director

Prepared by Lyman Chang, Associate Civil Engineer

cc: City Attorney Electric Utility Director Purchasing Officer
Street Superintendent Water/Wastewater Superintendent Associate Civil Engineer, Chang

APPROVED: _____

H. Dixon Flynn
H. Dixon Flynn -- City Manager

RESOLUTION NO. 2001-127

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL AWARDING THE
CONTRACT FOR STOCKTON STREET RECONSTRUCTION, LODI
AVENUE TO LOCKEFORD STREET, AND FURTHER
APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THIS PROJECT

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WHEREAS, in answer to notice duly published in accordance with law and the order of this City Council sealed bids were received and publicly opened on May 23, 2001 at 11:00 a.m. for Stockton Street Reconstruction, Lodi Avenue to Lockeford Street, described in the specifications therefore approved by the City Council on April 4, 2001; and

WHEREAS, said bids have been compared, checked, and tabulated and a report thereof filed with the City Manager as follows:

<u>Bidder</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Bid</u>
<u>Engineer's Estimate</u>		<u>\$ 988,075.00</u>
George Reed, Inc.	Modesto	\$1,238,229.00
Granite Construction Company	Stockton	\$1,546.958.00

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Lodi City Council that the award of the contract for Stockton Street Reconstruction, Lodi Avenue to Lockeford Street, be made to the low bidder, George Reed, Inc., of Modesto, California, in the amount of \$1,238,229.00; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that funds in the amount of \$1,485,875.00 be appropriated as follows for this project:

Measure K (Flexible Congestion Relief)	\$ 600,000.00
Measure K (Maintenance)	\$ 176,883.00
STIP	\$ 257,000.00
Water Capital Outlay Fund	\$ 166,338.00
Wastewater Capital Outlay Fund	\$ 220,854.00
Electric Utility Fund	<u>\$ 64,800.00</u>
TOTAL	\$1,485,875.00

Dated: June 6, 2001

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I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2001-127 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held June 6, 2001, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Hitchcock, Howard, Land, Pennino and Mayor Nakanishi

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Susan J. Blackston", with a stylized, flowing script.

SUSAN J. BLACKSTON
City Clerk